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SUBJ: NIGERIA 1977 IMPORT AND EXPORT BANS

1. EDITED SCHEDULES: IMPORT AND EXPORT PROHIBITION ORDERS OF 1977 ANNOUNCED APRIL 1 FOLLOW. BANS TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY, I.E., APRIL 1, 1977. IMPORT AND EXPORT PROHIBITION ORDERS AND AMMENDMENTS OF 1976 ARE REVOKED. POUCHING COMPLETE TEXTS.

2. GOODS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED (OTHER THAN TRADE) AIR PISTOLS, AIRMAIL PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTING PAPER, BASED COIN, INFLAMMABLE BEADS OF CELLULOID OR OTHER SUBSTANCES, BLANK INVOICES, BETTING COUPONS, COWRIES, TEA MIXED WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES DEPRIVED OF ITS QUALITY OR STRENGTH, IMPLEMENTS, FOR RELOADING CARTRIDGES, PORNOGRAPHIC MATERIAL, MANILLAS, WHITE PHOSPHOROUS MATCHES, MATERIAL WITH DESIGN LIKELY TO CREATE BREACH OF PEACE OR OFFEND RELIGIOUS VIEWS OR ANY CLASS OF NIGERIANS, FOOD UNFIT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, WEARING APPAREL, HARDWARE, CROCKERY BEARING INSCRIPTIONS FROM THE KORAN; PISTOLS DISGUISED, SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, SILVER OR METAL ALLOY COINS, SPIRITS, NOXIOUS LIQUID OR GAS WEAPONS, AND PASSENGER CARS EXCEEDING 2,500 CC.

3. GOODS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED (TRADE): BASKETWORK, FLOOR UNCLASSIFIED

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MOPS, BREAD, PAPER OR PAPERBOARD OFFICE ARTICLES, CIGARETTES, FUR CLOTHING, LIVE POULTRY EXCLUDING DAY-OLD CHICKS; STONE, SAND, AND GRAVEL, EXCLUDING BRICKS; WOOD HOUSEHOLD UTENSILS, ROOT VEGETABLES, ROUGH WOOD, WORKED MONUMENTAL OR BUILDING STONE, EGGS OTHER THAN FOR HATCHING, VEGETABLES (FRESH OR CHILLED), PASTRY, FRESH OR DRIED NUTS, FRESH FRUITS, PRESERVED FRUITS, FRUIT PREPARATION EXCLUDING JUICES, POTA-

TOES, VEGETABLE PRODUCTS EXCLUDING TOMATO PURE AND PASTE, SUGAR CONFECTIONERY AND OTHER SUGAR PREPARATIONS INCLUDING FLAVOURED OR COLORED SYRUPS AND MOLLASSES, TEXTILE FABRICS, (WOVEN, KNITTED, PILE, COATED, NARROW, EMBROIDERY, IMITATION LEATHER WITH TEXTILE BACKING, ELASTIC OR RUBBERIZED) WOVEN LABELS AND BADGES (EXCLUDING BADGES USED BY APPROVED INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS), TOWELS, OTHER MADE-UP ARTICLES OF TEXTILE, TRAVEL GOODS OF ALL KINDS INCLUDING SHOPPING BAGS, HANDBAGS, BRIEF-CASES AND WALLETS, STOPPERS AND CLOSURES OF COMMON GLASS, ORNAMENTS AND OTHER FANCY GLASS-WARE OF KIND USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, OTHER ARTICLES AND WARES MADE OF PLASTIC MATERIALS EXCLUDING BABIES' FEEDING BOTTLES, ENAMELWARE AND GALVANISED BUCKETS, BOTTLED BEER, BOTTLED STOUT, FURNITURE MADE OF STONE OR OF PLASTER OR OF ASBESTOS-CEMENT, EVIAN AND SIMILAR WATERS, CARBON PAPERS, LACE, TULLE (EXCLUDING TULLE GRAS), AND NET FABRICS, REAL MADRAS CLOTH, AND EMPTY BEER BOTTLES.

4. GOODS PROHIBITED FROM BEING IMPORTED EXCEPT UNDER LICENSE OF SPECIAL FMG PERMISSION: UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO; TOBACCO REFUSE, OTHER MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, PACKAGING CONTAINERS EXCLUDING THOSE MADE OF GLASS, STOCKFISH, MANUFACTURED ARTICLES OF WOOD, (WHETHER OR NOT FOR DOMESTIC OR DECORATIVE USE), BEER OF ALL KINDS IMPORTED IN CONTAINERS OTHER THAN BOTTLES OR CANS, DUPLICATING PAPER, KRAFT PAPER (GLAZED OR UNGLAZED), PAPERBOARD, INCLUDING LINER AND CORRUGATED BOARD; LINEN (INCLUDING BED, TABLE, TOILET, KITCHEN, CURTAINS, PILLOW CASES), PASSENGER CARS WITH ENGINE CAPACITY OF 2500 CC AND UNDER, BICYCLE TYRES AND TUBES, UNCLASSIFIED

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CARPETS, TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, FURNITURE, MATCHES, COMMON SALT, CANNED BEER AND CANNED STOUT, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (EXCLUDING FRESH WATER AND VITAMINISED MALT EXTRACT DRINKS), BRANDY, BITTERS, LIQUEURS, RUM, WHISKY, SCHNAPPS, GIN AND OTHER POTABLE SPIRITS, EAVES-DROPPING EQUIPMENT; PROBE MICROPHONES; MINI-SIZED DYNAMIC MICROPHONES; CONTACT MICROPHONES; POCKET SIZED TAPE RECORDERS; LIE DETECTORS; DOOR STEP MICROPHONES; POCKET WIRELESS TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING SETS, POCKET ELECTRONIC STETHOSCOPE; WIRELESS TELEPHONE AND SPACE MONITORING SETS; MICRO-CAMERAS; ALL FORMS OF MINI-TRANSMITTERS, PHOTOCOPYING MACHINES CAPABLE OF REPRODUCING IN COLOR, ARMoured VEHICLES, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, (GAS OR DIESEL OILS; ILLUMINATING OILS; LUBRICATING OILS; MOTOR SPIRITS, BENZINE, BENSOLINE, NAPHTHA, GASOLINE, PETROL AND PETROLEUM SHALE AND COLA TAR SPIRITS), SALK ANTI-POLIOMYELITIS VACCINE, MACHINES FOR DUPLICATING KEYS, TERNE-PLATE AND ALL GOODS MADE OF TERNE-PLATE, TEAR GAS, SPIRITS IMPORTED FOR MEDICAL OR SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, METHYLATED, DENATURED SPIRITS UNFIT FOR USE AS POTABLE SPIRITS, REEL-

FED ROTARY TICKET PRINTING PRESSES, PERCUSSION CAPS, NETS,
GINS, TRAPS, SNARES, SPRING GUNS, MISSILES CONTAINING
EXPLOSIVES, APPARATUS FOR SETTING GUNS OR SIMILAR MECHANICAL
APPLIANCES USED TO CAPTURE, INJURE OR DESTROY ANY ANIMAL,
AMMONIUM NITRATE (PURE), APPARATUS SUITABLE FOR DISTILLATION
OF ALCOHOL.

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5. GOODS WHICH MAY BE RELEASED AS STIPULATED IN SECTION 1
(4). GALVANISED BUCKETS, CARBON PAPERS, EMPTY BEER BOTTLES,
ALL PASSENGER CARS OF ENGINE CAPACITY OF 2,000 CC AND
ABOVE, CARPETS, TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, MATCHES, COMMON SALT,
FURNITURE, CANNED BEER AND CANNED STOUT. SECTION 1 (4) --
PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED GOODS SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 4 TO
THIS ORDER AND IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE IMPORTERS HAVE
ENTERED INTO ACTUAL FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS PRIOR TO THE
DATE OF THIS ORDER, MAY BE ALLOWED, PROVIDED THE SAID
IMPORTERS SUBMIT EVIDENCE OF SUCH FINANCIAL COMMITMENT TO
THE CENTRAL BANK OF NIGERIA WITHIN 14 DAYS FROM THE DATE
OF THIS ORDER, AND OBTAIN THEREFROM A CONFIRMATION.

6. GOODS WHICH MAY BE IMPORTED WITHOUT LICENSE FROM THE
IMPORT LICENSING AUTHORITY: GOODS BELONGING TO THE
NIGERIAN ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE; BONAFIDE COMMERCIAL
COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' SAMPLES, BEING THE PROPERTY OF
COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS WHO ARE OR ARE TO BE IN NIGERIA AT OR
WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME AFTER THE TIME OF IMPORTATION OF
THE SAMPLES; PERSONAL EFFECTS WHICH ARE THE PROPERTY OF
PASSENGERS AND ARE CONTAINED IN THEIR BAGGAGE, NIGERIAN
RETURNED GOODS.

7. EXPORT PROHIBITION ORDER 1977:1. (1) THE EXPORTATION OF GOODS SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 1 TO THIS ORDER IS ABSOLUTELY UNCLASSIFIED

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PROHIBITED.1. (2) THE EXPORTATION OF THE GOODS SPECIFIED IN COLUMN 1 OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THIS ORDER IS PROHIBITED EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN COLUMN II THEREOF.1. (3) THE EXPORTATION OF ANY GOODS TO ANY OF THE COUNTRIES SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 3 TO THIS ORDER IS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED. 2. SUBJECT TO SECTION 1 OF THIS ORDER, BUT WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO ANY OTHER ENACTMENT, ALL OTHER GOODS MAY BE EXPORTED WITHOUT LICENCE. 3. (1) THIS ORDER MAY BE CITED AS THE EXPORT PROHIBITION ORDER 1977.3. (2) THE EXPORT PROHIBITION ORDER 1976 IS HEREBY REVOKED.

8. GOODS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED FOR EXPORTATION: BEANS, CASSAVA-TUBER, GROUNDNUT OIL, MAIZE, PALM OIL, RICE, TIMBER (EXCLUDING BLACK WOOD EBONY - SAWN).

9. GOODS PROHIBITED FROM BEING EXPORTED EXCEPT UNDER LICENCE: CIGARETTES, COLUMBITE, GOLD (RAW AS DEFINED IN GOLDSMITHS' ACT 1948), GOODS MANUFACTURED OUTSIDE NIGERIA, GOODS MADE WHOLLY OR PARTLY OF IMPORTED COMPONENTS, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, TANTALITE, TOBACCO, BENNISEED, RAW COCOA BEANS, RAW COTTON, GRAPEFRUIT, LEMONS, COTTON LINTERS, COTTON SEED OIL, COTTON SEED MEAL, GROUNDNUT CAKE, GROUNDNUT MEAL, PALM KERNEL CAKE, PALM KERNEL MEAL, PALM KERNEL OIL, ZIRCONIUM, SLAG RESULTING FROM THE PROCESSING OF TIN, RAW COFFEE, CASSAVA FLOUR, GARRI, YAM-TUBER AND FLOUR (ELUBO).

10. COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTATION OF GOODS IS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED: SOUTH AFRICA; RHODESIA (ZIMBABWE); NAMIBIA (SOUTH WEST AFRICA).
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